AMENDMENT

IN THE CLAIMS

Claim 1 (currently amended): A method of changing the value of a parameter from a current value to a desired value comprising the steps of:

inputting a first directional command to set ~~cause~~ the parameter to ~~vary at~~ a first value, the first value having a first predetermined number of units ~~speed~~ in a first direction; and

inputting a second directional command to ~~cause~~ change the parameter by a second value having a second predetermined number of units in a second direction wherein the second value is less than the first value ~~to vary at a different speed either in the first or in the opposite direction.~~

Claim 2 (currently amended): A method according to Claim 1, in which the second direction ~~directional command~~ is the same as ~~a repeat of~~ the first direction ~~directional command~~ which causes the parameter to increase in value ~~vary~~ in the first direction upon entering of the second directional command ~~at a speed higher than the first speed~~.

Claim 3 (currently amended): A method according to Claim 1, in which the second direction ~~directional command~~ is different ~~to~~ from the first direction ~~directional command~~ and entering of the second directional command causes the parameter value to decrease in the first direction ~~vary in the opposite direction at a lower speed than the first speed~~.

Claim 4 (original): A method according to Claim 1, in which there are two possible directional commands corresponding to "Up" and "Down" whereby the parameter is increased or decreased in value.

Claim 5 (currently amended): A method according to Claim 1, in which there is a third command corresponding to "Stop" which causes that which the parameter is measuring to retain its current value.

Claim 6 (original): A method according to Claim 5, comprising the steps of inputting a first